## PATENT APPLICATION

## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Takehiro NIITSU et al.

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For:

OPTICAL WIRING BOARD, OPTICAL BUS SYSTEM, AND METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING OPTICAL WIRING BOARD

## LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please substitute the attached  $\underline{9}$  sheets of formal drawings depicting Figures  $\underline{1A-10}$  for the corresponding drawings filed with the application.

Respectfully submitted.

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